

Putting on a New Coat

The dome of the Space Power Facility (SPF), the world's largest environmental simulation chamber, located in Sandusky, Ohio, is getting a beauty treatment for the first time in 20 years. A worker is seen here rappelling down the side of this 144 foot high facility looking for areas that require repairs. More than 1,000 square feet of patching, as well as repairs and cleaning, were part of the field restoration work. Final treatment of the dome is 75 percent complete and includes being coated with 1,200 gallons of paint and polyurethane sealant.

